THE AMADOR LEDGER.

Miniature Electrical Plant Built by Mokelumne Hill Boy-Coyote Attacks a Dog.

EL DORADO COUNTY.

Nugget, Placerville, January 5th. Marco Brono had his right hand en

tirely blown off Monday morning by the explosion of a giant powder cartridge. He lighted it and held it in his hand, with the above result. Dr. Rantz was called in to-attend the sufferer and found the hand entirely off. and one-half inches long. This is run The doctor amputated the ragged edge by a little four-inch waterwheel proand Bruno is resting as easy as possible under the existing circumstances.

Democrat, Placerville, January 6th

Between Placerville and the Strahle slate quarry at Kelsey, broken only at the river, there is a broad and continuous belt of the best slate in the world. of experienced and scientific experts of several nationalities. Still better and more of it, there is the demand for the manufactured product vastly exceeding possible supply by present working force and appliances. With enlarged facilities of manufacture and transportation, our slate industry is slated for a splendid future

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hinkson of Amador City spent Christmas in Placerville as the guests of Mrs. Hinkson's mother,

W. W. Tong met with quite a painful accident a few days ago. While moving a harrow he tripped and fell, running one of the harrow teeth through his hand. The wound is domuch difference anyway, as his buggy horse does not require a driver.

CALAVERAS COUNTY.

Chronicle, Mokelumne Hill, January 6th.

about 6 o'clock by an employe of the improvement to property. house, who reported it to the Coroner In Dolma's room were found two small bottles, one of which was filled with an inquest will be held.

The news comes from the grading camps on the line of the extension of the Sierra Railway from Jamestown to Angels Camp that the recent storms have made the ground too soft for scraping, and, finding they could make no satisfactory progress in the uncertain weather, the contractors have laid off their crews until a dry spell is assured. The roadbed has been graded from Jamestown to Table Mountain, but work on the cut through the upheaval is not completed. Graders have moved on north of Table Mountain old settlement known as Jeffersonville when work was stopped, owing to the wetness of the country.

Work on the steel bridge over the Stanislaus river is being pushed along satisfactorily. Excavations of bedrock were made for the foundations of the steel cylinders, which form the north and south piers of the structure and the piers were finished last week. The fialse work on which the steel structure will be framed is being raised and no further delay is looked for in that work.

Prospect, San Andreas, January 6th. J. C. Wilson and Martin Layman were arrested at an early hour Monday morning on Twenty-fourth street by Policeman Thompson, after a desper ate struggle, and were booked on a charge of burglary. An additional charge of carrying a concealed weapon was registered against Wilson. Thompson saw the two men standing in the 3825 Twenty-fourth street, and asked them what they were doing there at such an unseemly hour. They told him to mind his own business, and Thompson proceeded to do so by plac

The above article appeared in last Tuesday's San Francisco Call. The two men whose names appear therein were in San Andreas some time during mained here two or three days. They represented that they were ex-soldiers of the late war and photographwere taking orders for enlarging pictures. There is no doubt, however, but that the pict- It is the only harmless remedy that gives imure business was only a side issue or a convenient auxiliary to their crooked

One evening last week as Martin Donnallan was returning to town in a cart from his claim near the Donnallan bridge, a large coyote attacked his dog nine days," he said, "after our boat in instant enjoyment. Look at the which was following a short distance was lost, we had nothing to eat except school boys sharing a plum cake. The behind the vehicle. The dog ran for his master, closely pursued by the coyote. Reaching the cart, the dog ran under it and the coyote approached within three feet of the rig. Martin little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early picked up his gun quickly and fired Risers, City Pharmacy,

but it managed to escape.

lad about eighteen years of age, lately turned his attention to the study of the necessary books, pursued his studies alone and unaided during spare time. He soon acquired such an underestanding of the work that he conceived the idea, a few weeks ago, of building a small dynamo. With a soldering iron, files and such crude tools as may be found around a dweling-house, he built a dynamo sure nough. It is a small affair that one ould easily put in his overcoat pocket, but it works like a charm.

The armature, including pulley and bearings, is about seven inches in length, and the field magnets, including the pole pieces, are one and five-eighths inches in diameter and five inches in length; the field winding contains about two pounds of wire and the whole is two and one-half inches in diameter; the commutator is one-quarter of an inch in length and has twelve segments: the brushes are one inch wide and one pelled by a stream of water from a three-quarter-inch rubber hose. A home-made battery is also used in connection with the motor. With the power thus generated he propelled his nother's sewing machine, also a homenade electric fan, and had power bough besides for two electric lights. The little machine is quite a curiosity and the workmanship would not be a discredit to even a more finished elec-

TUOLUMNE COUNTY.

Independent. Sonora, January 6th.

There was a hot time in the old town last Sunday night, when the year was ushered out and the new one welcomed with all varieties of noise. The ringing of bells, the explosion of dynamite and the unmusical fishhorns were, as usual, a part of the programme, but there was an addition to the celebration in the shape of the firing of the too handy revolver, which latter amusement would have gladly been dispensed with by our citizens. Buling nicely, and he says it doesn't make lets sped so lively during the night that a majority of the signs on both sides of Washington street were decorated with from one to six bullet-holes and many awnings were likewise perforated. The proper place for these wild and wooly revelers was in the lockup, and Peter Dolma, a laundryman who up it is unfortunate that such wholesale to ten days ago lived at Angels Camp, disregard of peace and yuletude should died suddenly at his lodgings at 411 Pa- go unpunished. Noise is legitimate at cific street, some time yesterday after- the coming of the new year, but bulnoon. The man's death was discovered lets are dangerous to life and no im-

New Era, Carters, January 5th.

E. S. Isenberg, a Sonora merchant, Its contents, from the appearance of a eve in that city while walking down glass tumbler close by, had been uti- Washington street. The bullet entered lized to destroy the man's life. The just above the heart, passed near the body was taken to the Morgue. where aorta and penetrated the lung, and, although the wound is a serious one, it may not result fatally. Who fired the shot is not known and may never be, as there was considerable promiscuou shooting on that night, and from all accounts there should have been nu many participated in that careless and dangerous "amusement." The unfortunate man was picked up by two young men who were passing by and taken to the home of Otto Kanig, where he is under careful attention.

In making a professional call last week Dr. Bromley had occasion to travel the Parrot's Ferry road, and passing a particularly wild and lonely point his attention was arrested by two wild animals engaged in a life and death struggle. At the same time his horses stopped and trembled with fright. The fighting animals were probably seventy-five yards distant from the loctor, who soon discovered that a leer was struggling to free itself from the vicious grip of a large wildcat. The doctor endeavored to urge forwitnesses to the encounter and refused to move. Finally the deer fell to the ground, and the wildcat, discovering the observing party, sought safety in the brush. Tying his team, the doctor approached the scene of conflict. and there upon the ground lay the dead deer with a crimson stream flowing from a deep throat wound inflicted by the claws and teeth of the wildcat. Not forgetful of the methods pursued in his days of sportsmanship, the doctor hurriedly and properly hung the venison to a convenient tree and proeeded on his journey. He informed a oung fellow of the sight he had witnessed, described the locality and the tree to which the venison was hanging. The following day the doctor was presented with a nice hunk of deer meat. acquainted with Dr. Bromley will doubt the above, and we want to vouch for his varacity and sobriety.

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They Ate Their Words.

The post graduate student who was had an enthralled audience. "And for our college yell." His hearers shuddered. A scientific education held many possibilities.

thrift and Miser.

Says Spend and Regale: Save a Dollar and You Lay It up for a Thief.

Debt is of the very highest antiquity. The first debt in the history of man is the debt of nature, and the first intural fore they would pay their debts. Society is composed of two classes, debtors and creditors. The creditor class has been erroneously supposed the more enviable. Never was there a greater misconception; and the hold it yet maintains upon opinion is a remarkable example of the obstinacy of error, notwithstanding the plainest essons of experience. The debtor has the sympathies of mankind. He is seldom spoken of but with expressions of tenderness and compassion-"the poor debtor!" and "the unfortunate debtor!" On the other hand, harsh and hard-harted are the epithets allotted to the creditor spoken of? No, the creditor never becomes the object of pity, unless he passes into the debtor class. A creditor may be ruined by the poor debtor, but it is not until he

becomes unable to pay his own debts, that he begins to be compassionated. A debtor is a man of mark. Many eyes are fixed upon him; many have interest in his well-being; his moveappear unheeded; his name is in many mouths: his name is upon many books; he is a man of note-of promissory note; he fills the speculation of many minds; men conjecture about him, wonder and conjecture whether he will pay. He is a man of consequence, for many are running after him. His door is thronged with duns. He is inquired after every hour of the day. Judges hear of him and know him. Every meal he swallows, every coat he puts upon his back, every dollar he borrows, appears before the country in some formal document. Compare his notoriety with the obscure lot of the creditor, of the man who has nothing but claims on the world; a landlord, or fundholder, or

ome such disagreeable hard character. The man who pays his way is unknown in his neighborhood. You ask the milkman at his door, and he cannot tell you his name. You ask the butcher where Mr. Payall lives, and he money fast in their pockets have no His house is only known: No. 71 is his way to obscurity. No one knows anything about him or heeds his moveconcern lest he be going to run away. If a package be moved from his home. watch whether it be carried to the pawnbroker. Mr. Payall fills no place in the public mind; no one has any

hopes or fears about him. The creditor always figures in the fancy as a sour, single man, with grizzled hair, a scowling countenance and peremptory air, who always lives in a dark apartment, with musty deeds about him and an iron safe, as impenetrable as his heart, grabbing together what he does not enjoy. The debtor, on the other hand, is always pictured ters, bound together in affection and misery, full of sensibility, and suffering without a fault. The creditor, it is never doubted, thrives without a merit. No one ever thinks it desirable that he hould have the means of living. He is a brute for insisting that he must receive, in order to pay. It is not in the imagination of man to conceive that his creditor has demands upon him which must be satisfied, and that he must do to others as others must do to him. A creditor is a personification of exaction. He is supposed to be always taking in, and never giving out. People idly fancy that the possession

of riches is desirable. What blindness Spend and regale. Save a dollar and you lay it up for a thief. The prudent nen are the men who live beyond their means. Happen what may, they are safe. They have taken time by the forelock. They have anticipated fortune. The wealthy fool with gold in store, has only denied himself so much enjoyment, which another will sieze at his expense. Look at those people in a panic. See who are the fools then. You may say as one of them goes by in an agony of apprehension, "There is a stupid fellow who fancied himself rich because he had fifty thousand dollars in the bank." The history of the last thirty years has taught the moral, 'spend and regale." Whatever is laid describing the Patagonian expedition up beyond the present hour is put in jeopardy. There is no certainty but knowing ones eat, as for a race; but a stupid fellow saves his portion; just nibbles a bit and keeps the rest for another time. Most provident block-

head! The others, when they gob-

bled up their shares, set upon him, critic given offices on the top floor.

plunder him and thresh him for crying

Before the terms "depreciation." 'suspension," etc., were heard, there might have been some reason in the practice of laying up; but now it denotes the darkest blindness. The prudent men of the present time are the men in debt. In any case the debtor is safe. He has put his enjoyments behind him; they are safe; no turns of fortune can disturb them. The substance he has eaten up is irrecoverable. The future cannot trouble his past. He has nothing to apprehend. He has anticipated more than fortune would ever have granted him. He has tricked fortune; and his creditorsbah! who feels for creditors? What are creditors? Landlords; a pitiless and unpitable tribe; all griping extortioners! What would become of the world of debtors, if it did not steal a march upon this rapacious class?-Gardner-

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Agricultural Strategy

Colonel Waylie, of Alabama, is some thing of an amateur farmer, but the darkies play sad havoc with his choice regetables. This year he thought he would be a strategist, and so he called his old gardner to him and said: "Look here, Uncle Henry: I'm trying an experiment with the west field for a chemist downtown. The corn is a poison rariety, and if any one of the darkies about here touch it they will be killed sure. You'd better warn them, hadn't you?"

"Sartinly I will: sartinly I will," responded the old negro. "Well, do you think it will have any

effect on them?" asked his employer. "Do you think it will prevent them from stealing it?" "What do I think 'bout it?" queried the old man. "I think dar'll

be a lot o' dade niggers 'round hyer sho'; dat's what I think 'bout it. G. H. Appleton, Justice of the Peace, Clarks burg, N. J., says: "De Witt's Little Early Risers are the best pills made for constipation

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"What we need," said the editor, "is higher criticism. Thereupon he issued orders to have the book reviewer and the dramatic His Queer Catch.

One of the queerest experiences in eatching trout that any man ever had vas that at Moosehead lake recently by a sportsman named Williams. He was standing on the apron of the dam my destination, I discovered, to my inat Wilson's, fishing in the quick water below, and had met with fair success. Near the shore, on his right hand, in a into the pack, killing one of the brutes, little eddy, he noticed a barrel lying on and, to my delight, saw the others its side in several feet of water. He found that it was an old molasses barrel and was lying so that he could see the bunghole. Of course, the barrel was full of

water, and the man had no idea there whip up my horses. Finally there was was a fish inside of it, but just for curiousity he dropped his hook through its fierce eyes glaring in anticipation of the hole, and no sooner had it landed a good, hot supper." there than the water was boiling, and the fisherman knew that he had a trout on the other end. He played him until the fish was tired, and when he came to land him he could not get him through the hole. He secured a saw and sawed a piece out of the top of the barrel, near the hole. The fish came out. It weighed three pounds and was one of the handsomest square tails caught in that section this year. One of the guides said that the trout

must have gone into the barrel when quite small and had lived on bugs and worms which had taken up their abode

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Here the man who had been sitting in the corner burst forth into a fit of

"Why, man," he said, "by your way of reckoning that last wolf must have had the rest of the pack inside of him!"

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I remember, it did wabble a bit."—

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To all the patrons of the AMADOR LEDGER and the Amador Republican, Greeting: With last week's issue the the State Legislature, which will be less than a year from tell them about it, he would suicide. LEDGER passed into the hands of the Amador County Publishing Company, owners for some years past of the Amador Republican. But the LEDGER has not fallen into the hands of novices. Those who assume its ownership and managecountry in which they will operate and the interests of which pointment by the Governor. they hope to serve. The enterprise they have undertaken is no experimental or speculative venture, but an enlargement of their already well established and growing business and to the State and the party which is now the trustee of the an extension of their sphere of influence.

As publishers of the Republican we have received many most cheering proofs of the confidence and good will of the is clear and they who would hide or obstruct it are not acbest and most influential citizens of this county, and most tuated by patriotism or love of the Republican party. flattering notices and testimonials, though never solicited have been frequently given by judicious men and the press of the State at large.

This support and encouragement, taken in connection with the present circumstances and prospects of the county, have formed the basis of the present action in taking this important step in advance. We have faith in the future and lief that such a road would be of incalculable benefit to all of confidence in our friends, and as for ourselves we shall adopt the material interests of Amador county. The impassible down for the winter. He will con as our aim and principle the sentiment expressed in the poet's lines:

"'Tis not as mortals to command success." But we'll do more, Sempronius, w'ell deserve it."

the paper in the highest degree useful and acceptable to its some time, exposed to the weather in the railroad yards and patrons. It will not only be kept up to its former standard but an earnest and continued endeavor will be made to improve it. Whatever features of either paper have won wagon is pressed into service. favor, will be retained and strengthened and such others added as shall be deemed valuable and acceptable to the public. The Ledger ever will be a family paper and a business man's paper, clean, truthful and impartial but aggressive Ione to the various towns along the Mother Lode will be and progressive. In public matters it will vigorously support the right and strongly oppose the wrong.

The Amador County Publishing Company has great confidence in the future of this county, the natural wealth of which is unsurpassed if not unrivaled. The enterprises already under way, those provided for, and others sure to be soon inaugurated form a prospective development that is as alluring to men of energy, ambition and intelligence, as the With it will be infused into our business circles new blood vast treasures of our mineral veins are to men of capital. A new era has dawned upon the mineral belt of which Amador county is the center, in which we are to see activity, enterprise and success in all our varied industries, and especially in the chief one, mining, such as has never been seen before.

Here, then, is a most attractive field for journalism. To vival of the fittest." act as "Advance Agent of Prosperity," to help produce it and then, perhaps, share its rewards are the objects and hopes which have induced the publishers to increase so largely their investment and also their circle of acquaintance.

THE SENATORIAL PROBLEM.

ereign State of California shall count for a half or a whole tion to the Mother Lode section from Mariposa to Nevada. State in the Senate of the United States, remains, apparently, Mr. Storms has commenced his work in Jackson, and is at undecided. What causes this hesitation? Are not the facts present preparing the data for his report, which will be given all fully in the possession of our chief executive? Surely, to the public in the form of a bulletin about the middle of it requires but an ordinary exercise of judgment to make July and later be incorporated in a report to be issued by both duty and policy so clear that vacillation becomes worse the State Mining Bureau. than a mistake.

desire the good of the State, can have but one wish in the data which will give more details than have ever before been matter, and that is to see the Legislature convened and a given in the field work of the State Mining Bureau, his Senator legally chosen. Those who hold any other opinion theory being that the cost of mining and milling operations are influenced either by party or personal considerations and depend so much on conditions, which may vary in each mine, can justify themselves only by saying that non-representa- that to be of value the conditions must be stated. As to tion is the less of the two evils which they believe or pretend this matter the LEDGER agrees with Mr. Storms, and, as he are involved in a choice. It is easily conceivable that irrecon- is one of the most capable men ever sent out to do field work cilable Democrats may feel so, and craftily labor to so confuse in the mining section, commends him to the mine owners NATIONAL HOTEL SHAVING PARLORS the minds of their Republican neighbors that they may act and mine operators of Amador county, in the hope that they the part of those "who hesitate and are thereby lost." But will give him any assistance in their power to make his common sense ought to show Republicans that their interest, work reliable and thus valuable.

as well as the good of the party, is directly opposed to such a half-hearted and timid course.

It is possible that Governor Gage may have been waiting the compressor plant of the Wednesday or Thursday to see what the Senate Committee would report on the claims He was on night shift at the plant and of M. S. Quay to a seat as the appointee of Governor William A. Stone of Pennsylvania. Should the Senate seat Quay, Governor Gage would perhaps follow the Pennsylvania Gov- the place open but shut down, so he ernor's example and appoint a Senator confident of his being admitted and without the danger of another deadlock and a When an entrance was affected they repetition of the unpleasantness and unpatriotic stubborness displayed at Sacramento last Spring.

But such action is not desirable. In the first place the attached it to a rope, which he faspeople will not accept executive action in the place of legislative duty. It will not place the Republican party in a favorable position before the people. Then, again, such an eight-foot drop. He left a note, in appointee could only hold his seat until the next meeting of which he said that his friends had gone now, and the change made then would possibly give the place not only to another man, but to the opposing party. The former failure to elect, and the present inaction, cause popular discontent which may result in a Democratic Legislature members of the original Jackson Band. next fall and if the present Assembly and Senate do not fill ment are neither new to the newspaper business nor to the the place the next ones will, regardless of any temporary ap-

Let the Governor call them together according to law and then, laying aside all personal motives, attachments, pre- Crocker, F. V. Sanguinetti, Ray Meejudices and animosities, and keeping in view only their duty public good, let them make the choice of a Senator to serve for the remainder of the term, about five and one-half years. This is the thing which should be done. The path of duty

ADVENT OF THE RAILROAD.

The division of sentiment in Amador county, along the F. A. Voorheis and Miss Nellie Mug-Mother Lode, relative to the advisability or non-advisability of having a line of railroad running from the Southern Pacific during their absence. terminus to Sutter Creek or Jackson, or to both, must have been-during the past few weeks--crystalized into a firm becondition of the wagon roads, and the congestion of freight at the Ione depot, all destined for points along the Mother Lode, and then returning to Bear River. He are most convincing proofs that the present mode of trans- has, and is looking the picture of portation of freight--namely, by wagon--is deplorably inadequate for the volume of business to be handled. Three No reasonable effort or expense will be spared to make hundred thousand feet of lumber is today, and has been for the freight sheds are so full that, after wagon traffic opens, it will take months to get the merchandise and mining mater- ing. The owner of the eat took no ials to their destinations, even if every available team and

The change in the condition of general business affairs which will be wrought by a railroad will not be so great as many people think. It is true that the men who are operating stages and freight-hauling outfits from the railroad at forced to find other employment for their men and teams, but, stage line, however, being well as the advent of the road will open up new avenues of industry and new enterprises, so it will provide new employment for all these and many more and thus make more than adequate compensation for the loss of labor in the transportation of freight and passengers from the Southern Pacific lines to the populous towns of the mining section of the county.

The railroad will change many conditions in our towns. and new capital; and while some of those now in business may be compelled to move farther back, where the army making the march of progress will not reach for twenty years to come, this will be no detriment to the general walk some very large oranges, several of which he gave to Senator John F. Davis and Judge R. C. Rust. He has a tree that is a prolife product of the gave to Senator John F. come, this will be no detriment to the general welfare of robust and gigantic oranges. our communities, nor to the material interests of those progressive citizens who in the battle for business supremacy will once more illustrate the infallibility of the law of "sur-

STORMS ON THE MOTHER LODE.

W. H. Storms, who has a record of successful research on the Mother Lode in connection with the State Mining Bureau with which he was associated in the performance of field work from 1892 to 1896, inclusive, has been selected by The great and momentous question whether the sov- Governor Gage as "expert in the field" to give especial atten-

Mr. Storms has the outlining of his work in his own Under the circumstances all citizens, who sincerely hands, and has decided to devote his time to the securing of

thirty-five years, committed suicide at

his neck broken. He had thrown a

"Scotty" and Wife Serenaded.

Last Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. M. Scatena were serenaded by several turkey, candy, nuts and champagne, to which all did ample justice.

The members of the serenading party vere: John Cademartori, Chas. H. nan, Ruel Parker, Vergilia Belluomini and Charles Neumann. The torch bearers were Willis and

Dining-Room "Up in Heaps."

Miss Lucy Hinkson was compelled to uspend her labors in the New National lining room last Saturday, owing to an attack of the mumps. She left for her nome in Amador City on the 2:30 stage. Shortly after Miss Hinkson departed Miss Jessie Mitchell was called to the telephone by her father, who informed her of the death of her uncle, Richard Rogers, at the Keystone mine. She ford, formerly a waitress at the National, fulfilled the dining room duties

Likes His Job.

Lloyd Brubaker, well known among niners and others of this camp, ar rived from Bear River Monday ever ng, the work there having been close tinue with the company, working on the new electric plant until spring, s well pleased with the position he

'Sorosis," the new shoe for women, a Show's Cash Store, Stater Creek.

A Feline Retriever.

A gentleman who is stopping at the New National Hotel has a cat that will give the best dog in the land cards and spades and then beat him retrievparticular pains to teach it the trick. st picked up the science along with other famous accomplishments of which it is possessed.

Has Careful Drivers.

If the Raggio stage and baggage line between Jackson and Ione was not pro vided with very careful drivers and the best of stock and vehicles accidents would certainly occur as the road in some parts is simply abominable. The equipped, passengers fell perfectly safe and hence travel is very good.

Information Wanted

A letter addressed to the Mayor of Jackson, in which inquiry is made for a man named Lewis Albin, supposed to have been a resident of Jackson in halgh, and now Mr. Greenhalgh is busy trying to ascertain something about the lost man. He is supposed to have died near here about a year ago.

Fine Oranges.

N. H. Baughman of Ione was town Tuesday. He brought with him some very large oranges, several

Property in Demand. Property near the old Moore mine is

n demand. Evidently there are prosects ahead for the resumption of at this old-time producer

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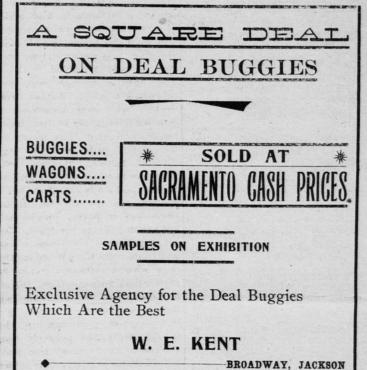
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to Operate.

Mill-Building at the Oneida company will prepare to go down a Is Delayed.

Operations at the Spagnolia, Centennial and Other Great Mines of the Mother Lode.

AMADOR COUNTY.

The Oneida-Jackson

The work of mill building at the ity to handle the flow of water. iously on account of the impossibility able to either the owner or the teamnew shaft and on the levels therefrom property will be so well opened that it in the spring. can be kept running indefinitely. The repairing and reopening the old shaft is progressing rapidly and within a short time connections will be made between the old shaft and the new, thus producing a ventilation for the workmen in the mine than which there

Belmont Mine-Pioneer.

John McKelvey, who has a bond to purchase a mine from F. C. Turner, Samuel Folsom and Tom Westphal. with George Joyce as assignee of Westphal, is having some trouble in the It seems that the first pay ment of \$600 was due on the 2nd, and by request of Folsom and Westphal the date of payment was delayed for one week. On the 9th McKelvey paid one-third each to those gentlemen and Turner has refused to take his onethird. Mr. McKelvey does not pur pose to be trifled with in the matter and will resort to the Courts, if neces-

Centennial-Drytown.

The Centennial shaft is now down 630 feet, making about 330 feet sunk it the shaft by the company of which L. A. Gross is superintendent. At about 500 feet in depth a water tank was cut to the east of the shaft and in that the ledge was encountered, which shows from seventeen to eignteen feet in thickness. Three feet of it on the hanging-wall assays about \$17.50 per ton while the balance is of low grade. Sinking is still in progress and will be continued to 800 or 1000 feet before the ledge is prospected.

The Spagnolia-Clinton.

The development work on the Spagnolia mine, near Clinton, which is being prosecuted for the owners by David Fisher, is being prosecuted faithfully. This mine in olden days was very rich in specimen rock near the surface, and when the ledge is tapped at a depth of 200 feet-the 200-foot level is that from which crosscutting is being done to the ledge, hose familiar with the mine believe that a most valuable body of ore will be encountered. So moteit be.

Pocahantas-Drytown.

Pocahantas is in San Francisco arranging to increase the capacity of the ets. machinery and cables on the mine, so appearing ore.

ALPINE COUNTY.

activity in mining operations in Alpine county next spring. The reported strike in the Colorado mine has been verified. But little ore has been taken out, but they have uncovered a rich will lead to a large deposit. The ore bodies in this mine have been discovered in this way, and the present lead is the largest ever found in the mine.

EL DORADO COUNTY.

Placerville Nugget: The Superior Rock and Hattie May mines on Webthe sum of \$55,000 for a period of eighteen months.

H. H. Martin of Rawhide mine fame is the owner of the Superior mine, and Frank Goyan of Placerville, by a recent decision of the Superior Court, has been made owner of the Ribbon Rock, This bonding of the Ribbon Rock to Hayward ends the long litigation over that property between Mr. Goyan and Messrs Alexander and Cupham. E. A. Davis, the representative of Mr. Hayward, becomes superintendent of the combined properties, and Philip Maul, formerly of the Marguerite mine, has been appointed foreman.

CALAVERAS COUNTY.

San Andreas Prospect: At the Vorwill be run from the 150-foot level with | Delahide,

Sheep Ranch Mill Ready a view to locate a place for a working shaft. The quartz formation, composed of a series of veins, is about 200 Sutter Creek was a Jackson visitor feet in width, so this cut will be run in Tuesday order to explore the different veins. As soon as this is accomplished, heavy machinery will be installed and the the National Hotel.

A party of miners are engaged in for a few days lately. working what is known as the "Limestone Crevice," a placer mine near His wife presented him with a bounc-Maxey's place on O'Neill's creek. TO PUT NEW MACHINERY ON THE POCOHANTAS This is a property which was worked by early miners with good results, but they were never able to bottom this large quantity of water. The present company is engaged in ground-sluicing off as much of the ground as possible preparatory to commencing sinking. It is good returns from the work and is confident that it has a rich property. When ready to commence sinking it

will install a pump of sufficient capac-

Oneida mine has been delayed ser- San Andreas Citizen: On the Commodore mine the crosscutting of the of hauling the lumber to be used in its ledge at the 300-foot level is still being construction from the depot at Ione to prosecuted. They have gone through the mine. There is now at the Ione fifteen feet of solid quartz and have depot about 200,000 feet of lumber for not reached the wall yet. All reports that mill, which cannot possibly be agreed that the indications are excelhauled in a manner that will be profit- lent and that the ledge is all milling ore which it would, pay to mill. Superinster for some weeks to come. The detendent Clary is elated with the assays lay already caused by bad roads will and the immense body of ore. It is his probably place the completion of the intention to thoroughly exploit the mill as late in the coming year as July. ledge at this level, and the result of after having spent the holiday vaca-The development of the mine in the that will be the guide for the future operations on this mine. If this ledge continue under the efficient manage holds out, as there is every reason to ment of John Truscott, and whenever believe it will, a forty-stamp mill will after an extended visit with relatives the sixty-stamp mill is completed the probably be placed on the Commodore

San Andreas Citizen: It was origin-

ally supposed that the large cash capital with which the Melones Company began business would be sufficient to thoroughly equip the property. As an additional precaution, 32,453 shares of the original 200,000 shares capital pleasant "Christmas" with them. stock were left in the treasucy. The shortage of capital is due to two accidents which occurred when arranging for the mill. A ledge, supposed to reach across the creek, had been selected for the foundation of the dam. After the dam had been partly built it was discovered that it ran into quicksand, and during the delay a flood swept away that part of the dam already completed. The foundation for the 120-stamp mill was insecure and had to be reinforced and renewed at considerable cost. The necessary money is to be raised by sale of preferred stock, bonds and an assessment. Mr. Ralston is now in Boston arrangwork in the early spring

Sheep Ranch-Calaveras County.

The mill is completed and the gaged in the work of repairing the the Mason Addition. shaft from the 300-foot to the 500-foot levels, and in putting in forty-pound rails the entire length of the shaft. As soon as this repair work is completed the taking out of ore will be commenced and the mill started up crush ore this week and have the twenty stamps dropping steadily and continuously by the 15th of the month. It is believed by the people who are interested in the mining industry, that the Sheep Ranch will again become the bullion-producer it was in the days of its greatest prosperity.

TUOLUMNE COUNTY.

Sonora Democrat: In doing the assessment work on a claim on the main Tuolumne river, near the Tuolumne mine, A. C Maier struck a large The vein is from five to six feet in Superintendent McWayne of the width and the quartz shows free gold These gentlemen are all interested in

At the Mt. Jefferson mine preparathat the shaft can be carried from its tions are being made to start the threepresent depth of 700 feet to 1200 feet, compartment vertical shaft on the An east crosscut has been run which hanging-wall. This will be driven has cut a five-foot vein of very good down 1000 feet, though it is expected to strike the vein at a depth of 500 feet. At present work in the various drifts is continued and an immense body of Gardnerville Courier: Unless all ore is ready for handy stoping. Susigns fail, there will be considerable perintendent M. Meighan says he will have the new ten-stamp mill in operation by the 15th inst.

House to Rent.

The Peiser residence on Court street is for streak of black ore which it is expected rent. A desirable location for professional or business man; improved grounds; paten Nourse, the Pioneer.

George F. Nourse, the pioneer traveler of the Pioneer Flour Company of Sacramento, made his usual Jackson trip this week. Mr. Nourse, who for several years in early days was a merchant of (sometimes called the Tincup) Ribbon Volcano, always considers his Amador county trip among the most pleasant he ber creek are bonded to Alvinza Hay- takes. His many friends and patrons are ward, the San Francisco capitalist, for always pleased to greet him and to enjoy a few minutes with him socially. Mr. Nourse has the distinction of being one of the original builders of the town of Chico, Butte county.

Love's Hall Reopened. Love's Hall has reopened, and will hereafter

be conducted as an opera-house and hall. Whist Party.

Miss Crystal Snow gave a whist party Monday night to a number of her young friends. They all had a most pleasant time. Besides the hostess those who were present and took part in the game were Miss Alma Frances, Mrs. Nita Littlefield, Miss Ila Ginoccho, William Crase, Eddie Delahide, Montie Snow, Alex Axelrod.

The first prize was won by William lander mine at Middle Bar, a crosscut Crase and the booby prize by Eddie

Mrs. Palmer of Sutter Creek is visiting Mrs. B. F. Taylor.

Miss Rose Stasal of San Francisco is visiting her relatives in Jackson.

Miss Edna Rust returned to her chool on the Cosumnes river Sunday. Miss Inga Kay has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Jensen at

E. B. Moore of the Sutter Hotel at

at Drytown and his wife are guests at

R. L. Marsh of the Jackson Butte mine has been "under the weather"

J. E. Bachelder is a very happy man. ing baby on the 10th.

C. H. McKenney, the Amador County Tailor, is making his monthly trip in Amador county.

Edwin Rust has returned to the Oakland High School after spending the holidays with his people here.

Miss Lizzie Taylor has returned to her school duties at the Leland Stanford Junior University at Palo Alto. Miss Christine Rickerts of San Francisco is visiting at the home of her uncle, Frank Hoffman, during the hol-

John Porobcich, who was one of those injured December 16th, at the Gwin mine, returned to his work Tuesday morning.

Dr. Hutchins returned from a very pleasant visit to his home in Woodbridge, where he enjoyed the holidays with his family. Miss May Fontenrose returned to

the Convent at Stockton Monday, tion in Amador county. Misses Etta and Julia Ginocchio have

returned to their home in Sacramento, and friends in Jackson. F. L. Fisher, the popular representative of the H. S. Crocker Com-

pany of San Francisco, was doing business in Jackson this week. Mrs. Kent and children returned from a visit to her parents in Woodbridge one day last week, after having had a

D. Boro, who for many years has lived at South Junction, this week moved into the stone mansion he re-

cently bought in the Hamilton tract. J. C. McKelvy, who is interested in nining in the Pioneer district, near the Defender property, went up to his mine this week from his home in Oak-

Attorney Stewart of Ione returned from San Francisco last Sunday; also, Hon. John R. Tregloan of Amador City. Both gentlemen visited the county seat Tuesday.

L. N. Keagle was called to Stockton this week on account of the severe illing for the vigorous resumption of ness of his father, who is visiting relatives in that city. Mr. Keagle Sr. is a resident of Redlands.

J. W. Caldwell and wife returned rom their wedding trip Saturday unwatered and reopened to the lowest night, and are are now keeping house levels. A gaug of men has been en- in a residence prepared for them on

F. Waggershauser, who lost his leg by an accident in the Zeila a few weeks ago, was not getting along very well at the first of the week, and it now seems that his recovery is impossible.

Leopold Newman, a brother of George Newman, and a former resident of Jackson, but now of the grocery firm of Bibo, Newman & Ikenburg of San Francisco, was a Jackson visitor this

Supervisor A. B. McLaughlin of Volcano was in Jackson this week in company with a gentleman who is looking at some mining property-in which Mr. McLaughlin is interested-with a view to purchasing it.

W. R. Woodard and C. L. Jaeger, accompanied D. Gutmann over the line of the new railroad from Ione to Jackson Wednesday. When here the envein of high-grade ore. The ore body | tire party went to Sheep Ranch Thurswas struck ten feet from the surface. day and returned to the Ford mine at San Andreas to visit that property. and contains about 10 per cent sulphur- the Sheep Ranch and Ford mines and in the new railroad.

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OUICKLY TOLD STORIES

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Mrs. Muldoon on Kennedy Flat to rent The Jackson Band and Musical Improve Club will give a dance on February 22nd.

Wallace Kay, the owner, is putting a new floor in the Golden West Drugstore of Alfred Goldner. A house of Mrs. Muldoon on Kennedy Flat is

to rent. Apply to F t. Harrington at the Kennedy mine. Walter McDowell was injured in Senora las week and his wife was sent for. The particu-

lars of the accident have not been ascertained at this office Come and take a swim in those large six-foot reelain tubs at the new bathrooms connected with the New National Shaving Psrlors, R. L.

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Arrested in Amador City. Harvey Pense, Thomas Ball and

Thomas Collier, three Jacksonites who had hired a team and buggy from Lewis' stable, went to Sutter Creek and Amador City Wednesday afternoon and were arrested at the latter place. They went back to Sutter Creek Thursday to plead to a charge of cruelty to animals and misdemeanor made against them by Constable Gray.

ost in Webb Hall, at the Native Daughters New Year ball. The part lost consisted of garnet setting, with the accompanying band of October 18-Antone Ratto 25, and Elmida gold which held it in place. Very highly prized Giannini 18; by Rev. J J Gleeson, at Jackson. as an heirloom. Please return to Mrs. Newcum Chichizola 31; by Rev. J J Gleeson, at Jackson. more than mortal man can bear. Rats, precarious condition, Jackson,

People Married in Amador Evelyn Payne 21: by Rev. W. Moloney, at Sut-Last Year.

TWAS A GOOD SHOWING FOR AN OFF YEAR

L. A. Gross of the Centennial mine Good People Who Took on the Joys and Sorrows of the Matrimonial Yoke in 1899.

> January 1-William J. Trevaskis, aged 22 and Emma Grimshaw, aged 19; by Rev. T. B Palmer, Jackson. January 8-Guiseppi Poggi 41, and Maria Fop

piani 38; by Rev. J. J. Gleeson, at Jackson. January 8-John Lithgow 51, and Mary M Randolph 37; by Webster L. Clark, at Sutter January 17-Bore Lusich 21, and Ida Lubitich

7; by Rev. W. Moloney, at Bunker Hill. January 23-Peter Giuliani 30, and Elvira Giannini 20; by Rev. J. J. Gleeson, at Jackson. January 23-Owen E. Gillick 30, and Eva E Murphy 28; by Judge Goldner, at Jackson. January 30-Frank 43, and Giovanni M. Zeni 8; by Rev. W. Moloney, at Sutter Creek. February 8-Robert Slater 38, and Mary A Caddy 37; by Judge Goldner, at Jackson. February 8-Webster C. Smith 32, and Mabe A. Flagg 21; by Rev. T. B. Palmer, at Jackson.

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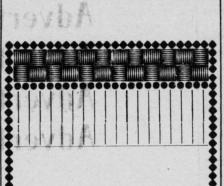
February 13-Angeloe Giovannoni 24, and

February 14-Benjamin Griffin 28, and Mary McGee 25; by Rev. T. H. Garvin, at Pine Grove February 22-Charles Gibbert 36, and Rose L Laswell 26; by Rev. T. B. Palmer, at Jackson February 22-William T. Terrill 23, and Grace A. Bodilly; by Rev. T. B. Palmer, at

February 27-Liugi Cassassa 51, and Maria Ceregin 35; by Judge R. C. Rust, at Jackson. March 15-John E. Bachelder 33, and Alice ouge 18; by Rev. J. J. Gleeson, at Jackson. April 8-Edward Crowgery 38, and Susan Northey 40, by Rev. T. B. Palmer, at Jackson April 12-John B. Grillo 30, and Mary Grasso by Rev. W. Moloney, at Sutter Creek

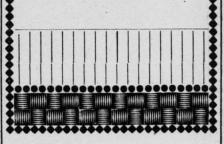
April 14-George W Felker 19, and Muriel I Meek 17; by Rev T B Palmer, at Jackson. April 19-John A B Wilson 28, and Mary I Morrow 21. by Rev T B Palmer, near Jackson. April 20-Charles W Smith 52, and Rebecca ouston 29; by Rev Hugh Copeland, at Ione. April 26-Dean Osgood Spring 43, and Core Setchell 34; by Rev Hugh Copeland, at Ione. April 27-John I Snowden 33, and Elizabeth Sowden 34; by Rev James Jeffery, at Amado

May 3-James C Van Wicklin 38, and Cath-



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y Rev H Copeland, at Ione. May 31-Francis F. Forbes 28, and Josephine Horr; by Rev T B Palmer, at Jackson. June 15-Daniel R Donovan 26, and Laur Rocca 21, by Rev J J Gleeson, at Jackson. June 18-Amedeo Cassassa 39, and Rosa Cas sassa 24; by Rev J J Gleeson, at Jackson.

19; by Rev T B Palmer, at Jackson. June 14-William P McSwain 28, and Alber

June 18-Louis Jones 23, and Ida Hamm

April 19-Fred W Gleeson 26, and Winnie Brown 24; by Judge J H Giles, at Sutter Creek. June 29-Noble R Gregory 54, and Delia Cullinan 33: by Rev Patrick Kane, at Jackson June 29-William Tyak 25, and Mary Caddy 0; by Rev T B Palmer, at Jackson. Jaly 6-George Hewston 25, and Margare Burrowes 16; by Judge A W Robinson, at Vol

July 16-Venanzio Raffinti 34, and Erminia Giavanonni 23; by Rev Patrick Kane, at Amador City. July 31-C E Fournier 43, and Rose E Clar

22; by Rev T B Palmer, at Jackson. August 25-Walter M Scott 26, and Mayme Courrier 20; by Judge Goldner, at Jackson. Angust 16-James H Cox 21 and Lizzie Ma Woodworth 18; by Rev George Clffford, at Sut-August 16-Lester L Flagg 26, and Sulen Rocca 18, by Rey Patrick Kane, at Jackson.

August 30-William T Larson 38, and Jenni

M Edwards 30; by Rev G M Cutting, at Jack Fisher 22; by Judge A W Robinson, at Pine October 4-Charles F Smith 21, and Laura King 25; by Judge H Goldner, at Jackson.
October 28--Napoleon Facchini 40, and Emma pinneti 24; by Rev J J Geeson, as Jackson. October 31—Frank J Prouty 23, and Joseph L Miller 19; by Rev J J Gleeson, at Ione. October 25—Thomas D Valentine 30 and

October 26-Frank M Thorpe 23, and Sus Northy 24; by Rev F A Morrow, at Jackson. November 12-Jerome S Giusto 23, and Elvira Benero 18; by Rev. J J Gleeson, at Jackson. August 28-Thomas Morris 48, and Vice Soe

eich 43; by Judge J Blower, at Plymouth. November 18-John Deltorchio 28, and Annie Rizzini 26; by Rev. J J Gleeson, at Jackson. November 18--Fred W Winchomb 25, and Edith M Russell 20; by Rev. F A Morrow, at

November 21-William Gibbert 39, and Card ine Schmidt 35; by Rev. F A Morrow, at Jack

November 23-F C Turner 34, and Snuilda M Jueto 21; by Rev. F A Morrow, at Jackson. November 21-William G Bawden 22, and Maud Gray 20; by Rev. James Whitaker, at Sutter Creek. November 29-John Noce 30, and Mamie Gar

baldi 18; by Rev. W Móloney, at Sutter Creek December 17- Paolo Ferio 33, and Argentin Cassassa 23; by Judge R C Rust, Jackson December 21-John R. Tippett 25, and Sadi Butler 21; by Rev. E. Hadix, at Plymouth, December 20-James W Caldwell over 2 and Georgie B Peters over 18; by Rev. Alfred J Case, at Amador City.

December 21-Wallace Draper 25, and Maggi Westfall 48; by Rev. E B Winning, at Ione.

Played Out.

Dull Headache, Pains in various parts of the ody, Sinking at the pit of the stomach, Loss of appetite, Feverishness, Pimples or Sores are all positive evidences of impure blood. No matter now it became so it must be purified in order to obtain good health. Ackker's Blood Elixir ha never failed to cure Scrofulous or Syphiliti poisons or any other blood diseases. It is certainly a wonderful remedy and we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Sold by

SHENANDOAH VALLEY. Just a Few Notes From the Garden Spot

of North Amador. SHENANDOAH VALLEY, January 10. We had a very lively storm last week, but the weather has again settled into smiling peace.

J. E. Walton has returned from the Bay city, whither he was called by the serious illness of his wife, who was visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Stillwagon. Mrs. Walton has improved nough to accompany her husband

Fred A. Ball left for Santa Cruz last Wednesday to attend a business col-

Mrs. C. H. Courrier went to Sacranento yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Boltz arrived from

Oregon recently and are the guests of W. A. Carter and family. Mr. Boltz was to have held church services at the schoolhouse Sunday, but the wild weather kept every one away. School resumed Monday morning,

after the usual holiday vacation. Measles and the grip are abroad in he land, and a number of our people are temporarily laid up by one or the

George W. Cruson, an old resident of this place, died at the home of his son, John Cruson, on the 2d, after a long illness. The funeral was held Thursday forenoon and was largely attended. Mr. Cruson was a native of Ohio, eighty-seven years of age, and had been a resident of the valley for twentyeight years. He leaves two sons, John and William Cruson, and three daughters, Mrs. Charles Bell of Aukum, Mrs. Haverstick of Ione and Mrs. Asbury of Calaveras. His wife died severa

Sick Headache absolutely and permanently cured by using Moki Tea. A pleasant herb Cures constipation and indigestion makes you eat, sleep, work and happy. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. 25 cents and 50 cents. Sold by A. Goldner,

Joint Installation.

Jackson Lodge, No. 36, I. O. O. F., and the Jackson Rebekah Lodge, No.50, installed officers Wednesday night. The affair was a joint installation and was concluded by a banquet. Mrs. Annie L. Clark, District Deputy installed the Rebekahs, and N. T. Littlefield, also District Deputy, installed the Odd Fel-

The new officers for the ensuing term re as follows:

Noble Grand, Nellie Kent. Vice Grand, Jenny Penry. Recording Secretary, Annie Clark. Treasurer, Kate Langhorst. Financial Secretary, Frank Pense. Right Supporter to Noble Grand,

Mollie Folger. Left Supporter to Noble Grand, Mary Evans. Warden, Lydia Pense.

Conductor, Mattie Freeman. Inside Guard, Etta Harris. Outside Guard, William Fuller, Right Supporter to Vice Grand, Rose

Stasal. Left Supporter to Vice Grand, Eva Kent. Chaplain, Emma Taylor.

Those installed in the Odd Fellows odge were: Noble Grand, William Fuller. Vice Grand, William May.

Secretary, W. E. Kent. Treasurer, W. M. Penry. Right Supporter to Noble Grand, W. J. Harvey.

Left Supporter to Noble Grand. Henry Folger. Right Supporter to Vice Grand, E

Left Supporter to Vice Grand, Willam Nettle Warden, E. G. Turner. Conductor, H. Clark. Inside Guard, John Moyle.

Outside Guard, Steve Peccavich Right Scene-Supporter, George Fellmuth. Left Scene Supporter, J. H. Con

Chaplain, R. W. Morrow.

Dyspepsia can be cured by using Acker's Dys pepsia Tablets One little Tablet will give im nediate relief or money refunded. Sold in handome tin boxes at 25 cents. Sold by A. Goldner.

On the Sutter Creek Boards

From the columns of the Record the people are informed that the play Better Than Gold" is in preparatien at Sutter Creek, with the editor of the Record as manager and, at the same Kevern 18; by Rev James Whitaker, at Sutter the selection of "Confusion," Nat Goodwin's masterpiece and "Joshua mains were taken to Lodi for burial. Whitcomb," Denman Thompson's suc- Mrs. Ruffner has not yet been told of October 25-Charles R Renno 32, and Ida cess, by the Jackson Histrionic Club, is her son's demise, on account of her

Court.

BUSY TIME IN THE REGORDER'S OFFICE

Large Number of Proofs of Assess ment Work on Mines Filed for Record

DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

Elizabeth Dufrene to Joseph Durene-Land near Ione; \$2500. W. C. Fithian to J. C. Fithian-

Land in section 7; \$800. W. E. Proctor to J. Dufrene et al-Ham's Station; \$450.

H. P. Gordon to G. W. Easton-Nine one-hundredths interest in Rising Star quartz mine: \$1. J. B. Vicini to E. B. Moore-Lot 6, away from the camp. Mr. Bright's

Anna Yager to J. P. Yager-Land in section 19. \$50.

olock 12, Sutter: \$1.

MORTGAGES. W. C. Fithian et al to B. Thompson -Land in section 7: \$800.

J. Dufrene et ux to J. H. Cavanaro-Land near Ione; \$2500. A. N. Peterson to G. Levaggi-Lot

block 1, Sutter; \$720. SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGE.

G. Boichegrain to E. Dufrene. G. Boichegrain to E. Fithian. G. Levaggi to A. Peterson. G, Vicini to E. B. Moore.

J. Huberty to C. M. Kelly.

LOCATION. J. Severus on Earle, Severns and Bully Boy placer claims.

Thomas White, Del Ray quartz minng claim. W. H. Lessley et al, Lessley placer

E. A. Hacker, Lone Jack quartz

B. Borghello et al, Nixon Hill placer

W. T. Robinson, Belvoir quartz ASSESSMENT WORK.

P. M. Peck, China Gulch placer to the Farmers' Instutute." "Educaclaim; C. H. Shields et al, Monitor tional Social Value of the Institutes. quartz mine; James S. Hayden, 54-Flat | "What the Institutes are Accomplish mining claim; J. Dennis, West Eureka ing," "The Farm Wastes," mine; M. E. Bates, Jupiter quartz Culture," "Alfalfa Culture," "Grain mine; Mrs. Mary Leoni, Columbia Culture," "The Dairy Herd," "The mine; R. K. McCoy, Mahala gravel Silos Place in Economic Feeding, mine; E.T. Yale, East Keystone quartz mine; T.B. Atkinson, Cleopatra quartz Practices," "Will Pumping for Irrimine; J. Williams, Austrian quartz gation Pay?" "Orehard Topics." claim; J. C. Keigan, Serrano placer mine; C. F. Davis, claim in Oleta Mining District; J. F. Goodman & Brend,

placer mining claim

F. B. Moore to Bank of Amador County-Lot 6, in block 12, Sutter Creek: \$7500. DECLARATION OF HOMESTEAD.

Cecelia M. Solomonson-Land in se tions 20 and 29, township 7. ABANDONMENT OF HOMESTEAD. Alice A. Graves and D. W. Graves Southwest quarter of section 25, town-

ship 8 north, range 9 east. AGREEMENT. CRUSON—In Shenandoah Valley. January 1900, G. W. Cruson, a native of Ohio, aged years, 6 months and 20 days. W. A. Newcum with Amador County Publishing Company-To sell 'Ledger'

plant; \$4500.

SUPERIOR COURT. Court calendar was called Monday morning. August Wieczny vs. Thomas Bryson

Bank of Amador County vs. I. N DeWitt et al.—Passed.

J. Nichols vs. F. A. Bowman-Passed. Joshua Hendy Machine Works vs. Red Hill Mining Company-Passed.

Stefano Oneto vs. P. Kelly (Constaole)-Passed. James Whelan vs. John Rick -

E. Ginocchio et al. vs. Charles Peters t al. -Passed. David Hutson vs. N. Baughman-Set for trial February 7th. B. R. Breese et al. vs. G. G. Spag-

noli et al.—Set for trial January 29th. Mary E. Whelan vs. John Rick-Passed. Standard Electric Company vs. Maria Taband et al.—Order for plaintiff

to refrain from taking possession of property. E. Ginocchio et al. vs. Maria Cassella-Demurrer withdrawn.

Decision; case decided in favor of defendants. Bertha L. Swain vs. Clarence W Swain - Trial; decree of divorce

Estate of Mary Goff-Decree settling

Simone Molfino vs. D. H. Rule et al

final account and discharging administrator. Estate of Mrs. Ann Hart-Citation ssued for Josiah Gundry to appear be-

granted.

ore Court; examination had. Estate of Gustave Boichegrain -Hearing on final account of special administrator. Eastate of Henry Stephens-Order

ettling final account.

ree of final discharge. Estate of B. F. Richtmyer-Decree establishing notice to creditors.

igestion and constipation. A delightful herb

drink. Removes all eruptions of the skin, pro

lucing a perfect complexion, or money re

Estate of Mary E. Ferguson-De-

funded; 25 cents and 50 cents. Sold by A. Gold MEALS SERVED AT ALL HOURS Son Dead and Mother Very Ill. Mrs. Ruffner of Butte City, who has been prostrated by pneumouia for some days, is improving. Her son, "Elt," who was compelled to take to time, in the chief role. This from the his bed last Tuesday with the same man who had the temerity to criticise disease, succumbed to its terrible ravages and died Friday night. His re-

CATTLE STAMPEDED.

tween Jenny Lind and Bellota. There

were eighty head in the corral at night

and in the morning all were gone. Ap-

parently they had been stampeded in

the corral and broke it down. The

man in charge of them notified Mr.

Bright of the condition of affairs, and

herders were sent out to look for them.

The ground being soft made it poseible

to track them, and by energetic work

seventy-nine head of the eighty were

were found in a dark and almost inac

cessible canyon twenty-seven miles

loss consists of the shrinking of the

stock, which was in prime condition;

the one animal not found, in all between

Notice.

JACKSON, January 2 .- I intend to leave for

Alaska early in the season. All persons in

then be placed in the hands of the collector.

One 4-Horse-Power Engine with a 7-hors

One Clay and Gravel Worker, 1-horse power

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

"How to Build a Silo," "Irrigation

Professor A. P. Haynes, who will

also be in attendance at the institute,

will discuss the following subjects:

'Chez" in the City.

water in the tales so plentiful that there

were no ducks, and he went to San Fran-

cisco to hunt bear and panthers. He

may return to Colusa before coming

DIFD.

Jone Echo and Calaveras Chronicle plea

BORN

BACHELDER—At Jackson, Cal., January 10 1900, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bachelder, daughter.

NEW TODAY.

Assessment Notice.

Location of principal place of business

Jackson, California -- Location of Works

Jackson Mining District, Amador County

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Jackson Gold Mining and Milling Company held fon Saturday, January 6th. 1900, the date of delinquency of Assessment No. 3 was post poned to Saturday, February 3, 1900, and the layer of sale to Saturday. February 3, 1900, and the layer of sale to Saturday.

poned to Saturday, February 3, 1900, and the day of sale to Saturday, February 24, 1900.
WILL A. NEWCUM, Secretary.
Dated Jackson, January 6, 1800. 1-12-1-26

MISCELLANEOUS.

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JACKSON, CAL.

Basement of the Webb Building

Everything New, Neat and

Clean

AFFORDS ALWAYS ON HAND

Guests treated with consideration and re-

......

'Resistant Vines."

DR. C. H. GIBBONS

One Piano as good as new.

One Derrick and hoisting outfit.

\$300 and \$500.

W. Bright's Cattle Break Out of a Cor ral and Run Twenty-seven Miles. S. W. Bright sustained a loss of sev-

eral hundred dollars on his beef cattle,

Rank.

Bank Clearings for 1889 Exceeded Those of 1898 by More Than

recovered, some of them being found twenty-seven miles from the corral in The San Francisco "Chronicle's" an-

tinue but increase The bank clearings of San Francisco this year exceeded those of 1898 by over \$140,000,000 and the balances by over \$16,000,000. In the four months ending November 30th the city's bank resources increased \$8,000,000, and the deposit increased \$6,300,000. Over \$10,000,000 in dividends were distribthe money it cost to recover them and uted to shareholders of corporations

\$37,000,000 worth of merchandise, exclusive of army and navy business, a gain of \$3,000,000 over last year. The debted to me are requested to settle before imports were \$44,000,000, a gain of February 1st, as my unsettled accounts will \$7,000,000. The customs receipts show a gain of over \$1,200,000. The internal revenue receipts were \$3,665,000, a gain of \$900,000. San Francisco's trade with Hawaii increased at a remarkable rate; the total gain over 1898 being nearly \$5,000,000. The imports were \$11,394,000 and the exports \$7,-798,000. The port did 85 per cent of Much Interest Being Taken in the Session to Be Held at Lodi. the country's export business to Hawaii, and 58 per cent. of the import The farmers in the vicinity of Lodi business. Exports of grain to Europe are taking much interest in the Farm- fell off almost \$2,400,000 on account of ers' Institute to be held there next the short crops, but exports to Eu-Wednesday, under the direction of the rope, especially canned goods, in-University of California. Several increased, making a total increase over stitutes have already been held in Lodi 1898. Exports to Japan decreased \$1,and all have proven most successful. 100,000, and imports increased \$8,100,-During the session Professor Fowler, 000 during 1899. Exports to China inwho conducts the question box, will creased \$140,000 and imports \$1,864,address the farmers on the following 900. Exports to Central America, subjects: 'Relation of the University Mexico and South America decreased, and those to Asiatic Russia and British Columbia increased at a remark-

The wheat crop of California during 1899 is estimated by the "Chronicle" at 30,833,333 bushels valued at \$19.435,000. The barley crop reached 20,782,608 bushels, beet sugar 21,250 tons, hops 8,325,000 pounds, wool 29,500,000 pounds, honey 75 carloads, deciduous fruits 6,869 carloads, raisins 66,000,090 pounds, prunes 96,500,000 pounds, dried ruits 29,150,000 pounds, nuts 450 carloads, dry wines 10,500,000 gallons, sweet wines 5,000,000 gallons, brandy

'Agriculture in the Philippines,' "Olive Culture," "Grape Culture, The total coinage of the San Francisco mint for the twelve months ending December 1st, was \$63,254,886, the C. B. Arditto, who went to Colusa largest amount ever coined there.

> against 170,994,000 feet for 1898. The mineral output was quite satisfully under way, and will greatly increase the gold output. Copper pro-

during 1899.

Richard Roberts was instantly killed ast Saturday while coming up on the skip at the Keystone mine at noon. He was standing on the bale and his clothes caught on the timbers in such a way that his body was pulled down over the edge of the skip, the upper part being held by the timbers while the lower part was over the edge of the As the upward motion continued he was practically cut in two, death resulting instantaneously. The OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 5th day of December, 1899. an assessment (No. 3) of one-thirtieth of one cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United Stater gold coin, to the secretary, at the office of the company, LEDGER office, Jackson, California.

Any stock upon which the assessment shall remain unpaid on the 6th day of January, 1900. will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 27th day of January, 1900, at 4 p. m., to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

WILL A. NEWCUM, Secretary.

Office: Weil & Renno Building, Jackson Cal. December 5, 1899. funeral took place Sunday afternoon from the M. E. Church, under the auspices of the Ancient Order of For-

and three children.

A young man named Charles Sim-

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction has made his January apportionment of school money for Amador county. The county school apportionment was made last Decem-

ment for January amounts to \$19,775.36; the present County school apportionment for December amounts to \$9715.34; making a total of \$29,490.70; the State school apportionment for January, 1899, was \$17,334.24; the County apportion ment for December, 1898, was \$9236.55; ncrease of school money over the ap-

Letters remaining unclaimed in the Jackson, Cal., Postoffice, for the week ending January 12, 1900:

Uncalled-for Letters.

G. C. FOLGER, Postmaster. Blaze at New York Ranch

PROGRESS OF CALIFORNIA

Calendar Day in the Superior which are in a corral and being fed at Rapidly Striding to the Front a place on the Calaveras River, be-

MARKED INCREASE IN AMOUNT OF EXPORTS

\$140,000,000.

which they had been coufined. A susnual review of finance, commerce, minpicious man was seen lurking about the ing, agriculture and manufacturing corral the night of the stampede, and shows a remarkable gain in all directhe impression is current that he stamtions, with every evidence that the peded the cattle and made them break present prosperity will not only conout of the corral, in order that he and his associates could run them off and ship them to market. This theory seems tenable, as a number of them

listed on the Stock Exchange. The port of San Francisco exported

able rate during the year.

575,000 gallons, canned fruit 2,900,000

Lumber shipments from California last week to visit and hunt ducks with counties were greater than ever be his friend, J. J. O'Rourke, found the factory, though the production is not

> duction greatly increased, reaching 21,000,000 pounds. A single copper company paid dividends of \$650,000. The extension of railroads, completion of several important irrigation systems, increased acreage of fruits and resumption of copper mining were among the progressive steps taken

Killed Instantly.

esters. The deceased leaves a widow

cich, aged about twenty-five years, committed suicide this morning by tying an awning rope arounn his neck and to the limb of a tree on the Zeila property. He had his arm broken bout two weeks ago and became demented last night, and wandered around town until nearly daylight. While iu the Louvre Restaurant, a few hours before the deed was committed, he said he would go out and commit suicide. The Louvre people treated the matter as a joke thought no more about it until his body was found. He was a native ol

School Money.

The present State school apportionportionments of a year ago, \$2919.91.

Cervantes Miss H Bonati, Miss Giovanni Cochilla, Antonio Collins & Phillips Lampshire. H Olsen, J, Pucci, Yoeopo Smith, James McKnight, W F Ramire, Varoli Smith, R H Yung, Low

Monday night a fire was discovered in the house of E. E. Hamrick. known as the old New York ranch tollhouse. It caught fire from the fire-

Happy is the cook who uses Pioneer Flour;

Best Liquors and Cigars at the Bar HAMBRIC & CARLEY,

water without serious damage.

and was extinguished by one bucket of

place in the room at the back thereof,

PLYMOUTH-JACKSON

DAILY STAGE LINE

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FREEMAN'S VARIETY STORE

E. GINOCCHIO & BROTHER

Water Street, Foot of Broadway, Jackson

WE TAKE PLEASURE IN INFORMING OUR PAtrons and the public generally that we have on hand a
very choice selected stock of DRY GOODS of all kinds, GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, CLOTHING. BOOTS AND
SHOES. We particularly direct the attention of the public
to the fact that we keep on hand the largest assortment of
IRON AND STEEL to be found in Amador county. Also a
superior assortment of all kinds of HARDWARE, such as
Carriage Bolts. Screws, Nuts, Nails, and, in fact, everything
the market demands. We are sole agents for the celebrated
HURCULES POWDER, of which which we shall constantly
keep on hand a large supply.

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A.J.JORDAN MANUFACTURER

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General Merchandise

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DON'T BE A CLAM_

THE NEW

INSIST

AT RIGHT PRICES

UP-TO-DATE

This can be truthfully said of any of the clothes made at our shop. The cutting is done by an experienced cutter; we use the best buttons and thread and give personal supervision to all work. Our stock of suitings for spring and summer is about the nobbiest ever seen here.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Meehan Property will be

subdivided into building lots and

sold for CASH OR INSTALLMENTS.

Will be laid out in blocks, with

50-foot streets and 25-foot alley-

ways. Each lot can be reached

at front or rear by wagon. One

main street from Volcano road

west of Calvin's house; one east

of Meehan's house; and one west

of Keeney's property, to reach the

For further particulars apply to

NEIL A. MACQUARRIE

A. LIEBHARDT

DARLOR SUITS LOUNGES AND MAT-

We cannot afford to give you shoddy cloth or slipshod work, for we are here to stay and cannot live on one-time custom.

MAIN STREET, JACKSON, CAL

MAX LADAR, THE

Has Amassed \$20,000,000, the Most of Which Is in the Bank

Unlike Pius IX He Possesses

a Frugal Mind.

of England.

Perhaps it is hardly reverent to mention the Pope in the same breath as Mrs. John Gilpin, but in one point he strongly resember her. Like her, he possesses "a frugal mind."

His predecessor, Pope Pius IX, was as open handed a man as one would magine him to be from the very sight of the pleasant, smiling face, so familiar to all from his portraits. He loved to make people happy, and therefore, though he received an immense number of valuable presents, he generally found that somebody needed them far more than he needed them himself. f a priest came to him and told him that his altar needed decoration, Pope Pius would make him a picture for it, or if a charity needed funds, and a bazar was held with that object, the Pope would contribute a beautiful Jackson, Cal., Postoffice, for the week eweled cross or some other valuable to

But the "frugal mind" of Pope Leo XIII does not prompt him to act in this way, and consequently he has amassed enough valuable presents to fill a museum, and his jewels are famous for their worth and beauty. He is the owner of the largest diamond in the world, and this, oddly enough, was given to him by that stanch Pro testant, President Kruger. It is valued at \$4,000,000.

Among the Pope's treasures are thirty tiaras set in diamonds, emeralds, rubies and pearls, and one of gold, thickly studded with diamonds and topazes which shoot out rays of white and orange light. Then he has 100 rings, one of the most magnificent be ing a present from the Sultan. This ring contains a marvelously beautiful blue diamond and is valued at \$100,000. Of gold crosses the Pope has no less than 318, set with all kinds of precious stones. Besides 1200 chalices and 900 ostensoril for the exposition of the host, he possesses eighteen pastoral staves, all these things being of richly chased silver or of gold and adorned thing," he said. with diamonds, emeralds, rubies or

> other precious stones. The Pope also possesses a number of statues of gold and silver, those representing the Blessed Virgin having crowns of the richest jewels. Besides all these jewels there are a thousand other valuables-statues, pictures,

porcelain, etc. The Pope is said to have amassed \$20,000,000, the greater part of which is in the Bank of England and the rest in various state banks. He is considered by Romans to be an excellent financier and an accomplished diplomat. Not only has he entirely freed the Holy See from debt; but every year there is a good surplus.

Is a Good Thing.

Muddy complexions, nauseating breath com from chronic constipation. Karl's Clover Root Tea is an absolute cure and has been sold for fifty years on an absolute guarantee. Price 25c and 50c. For sale by A. Goldner, Druggist. *

They Had Agreed.

Clerk of the Court - Gentlemen of the jury, have you agreed upon a ver

Foreman-We have. Clerk-What say you? Do you find the prisoner guilty or not guilty?

Foreman-We do. Clerk-You do! Do what? Foreman - We find the prisone

guilty or not guilty. Clerk-But, gentlemen, you must ex-

plain your meaning.

Foreman-Certainly; you see, six of us find him not guilty, and six of us find him guilty, and we have agreed to let it stand at that.

J I. Bevry. Loganton, Pa., writes, "I am willng to take my oath that I was cured of pneunonia entirely by the use of One Minute Cough Cure after doctors failed. It also cured my children of whooping cough." Quickly relieves and cures coughs, colds, cronp, grip and throat and lung troubles Children all like it. Mothers endorse it. City Pharmacy

Reservation. "While it is true," replied the Pale Pace," "that I made a compact with you, it was with a mental reservation.' Here the untortured Red Man maniested bewilderment.

be compelled to live on?" he asked. anxiously, his quavering voice betokening the depth of his emotion. Ah, such is destiny, to say nothing of the growing scarcity of pine timber

-Detrcit Journal. F. B Thirkield, Health Inspector of Chicago. says: "Kodol Dysyepsia" Cure cannot be rec

mmended too highly. It cured me of severe dyspepsia." It cured me of severe dyspepsia. t digests what you eat and cure indigestion

A Bunch of Trouble.

Old Utility - McTie's stage career And take some other kind because a little Best is always cheapest in the end, and the Jordan "AAA1" Cutlery was an utter failure Miss Footlights-Didn't he score a

> Old Utility-Yes, on the night be fore his company disbanded the gallery gods completely buried him in eggs. But that was only a part of his trouble The grocer around the corner claimed that the missles had been stolen from him and he had McTie arrested for re ceiving stolen property.

Where It Failed.

"Ah, yes," they sighed, "love will

But they learned that it wouldn't when they reached the station three minutes before train time and discovered that he had left his tickets and

counterfeits and worthless salve offered for De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. De Witt's is the only original. An infallible cure for piles an

Ah! So It Is.

"Oh, I don't know, doctor!" groaned the patient. "It hurts so I can't tell

Lewis Dennis, Salem, Ind., says: "Kodo Dyspepsia Cure did me more good than any

Uncalled-for Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the ending January 5, 1900:

Phillips & Collins Smith. Mrs. Kate

G. C. FOLGER, Postmaster.

"Well, are you that kind of a boy?"

"Do you mean you are experienced at work or experienced in getting out

An Absurd Question.

Sibyl--What a foolish question! Do you think I'd have married him if I

"Ah." the poet sighed, "we have no longer the wayside inn-" His friend interrupted him, "But

Long-Family troubles, eh? What rock did your domestic ship split on? Short-It was the absence of "rocks" that caused the split.

MISCELLANEOUS.

am about as well known as he is. A grocery is a place where you have cold gusts of wind

opens, and there is a good deal of running

the minute I begin to sneeze
I reach up on the shelf and
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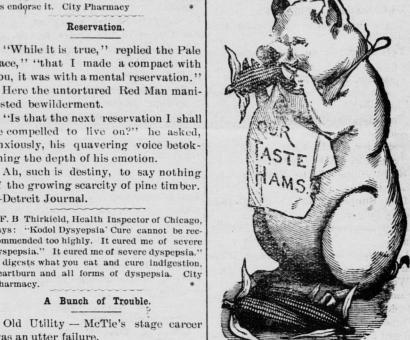
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